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September 22, 2014

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RE: West Shoshone Air Quality Non-Attainment Area
Thirty (30) day Comment Extension Request

Dear Mr. McLerran:

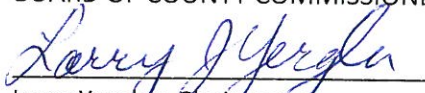
West Shoshone Air Quality Non-Attainment Area

This letter is to ask for an extension of thirty (30) days for the comment period ending September 29, 2014 for the partial Non Attainment areas of Pinehurst, Smelterville, and Kellogg.

We have had meeting with ID DEQ and the local cites, and last week we had a public meeting where citizens attended and first learned of the designation. There was much concern and the public needs more time to provide public comment. In addition to this, Kate Kelly, Region 10 Air Quality Administrator is scheduled to meet with the Board, city Mayors and IDEQ on October 7th, and we would appreciate additional time to provide substantive comments.

I would appreciate your consideration with this request.

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Larry Yergler, Chairman